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Local fanfare awaits train

Amtrak will give away round trip coach accommodations for two between Bay St. Louis and Orlando when the public gathers to greet the inaugural Sunset Limited, March 31 at 10:15 a.m.

Those present will be eligible to win. Bay Mayor Eddie Favre will draw the name of the lucky winner before the train departs.

The St. Stanislaus Band will entertain from 10 a.m. until the 10:15 arrival of the Sunset Limited.

Ceremonies from the platform will be conducted by Wick Leatherwood, Amtrak, recognizing local officials and others.

Greeters from the Hancock County Historical Society will board the coaches to greet those not leaving the train for the local ceremony, followed by Mardi Gras krewe members with a mini-parade. The local greeters will conclude with presentation of "Special Kisses from the Bay" for coach riders.

The Bay High Band will perform at 10:30 when the Sunset Limited departs. Other participants include the Bay St. Louis Police Department Explorer Troop Honor Guard.

Special seating sections are reserved for two students representing each of the 17 Hancock County schools, RSVP volunteers who assisted with the celebration and local elected officials.

Businesses are asked to close between 10 and 11 a.m. to let the owners, employees and customers greet the train and let Amtrak know how happy we are to have them stop in Bay St. Louis, said Favre.

Depot preparations

Dillon Construction of Carriere hustles to complete platform preparations and pavilion completion at the Bay St. Louis train depot prior to the arrival of the inaugural Amtrak run Wednesday. (Photo by Liz Haas)



Railroad crossing safety concerns officials

BY ELLIS CUEVAS

"Stop, look and listen," is a phrase used for many years by motorists approaching railroad crossings. An updated version is "Look, listen, live," both messages could save your life.

Crossing railroad tracks is a serious business and the increase in number of vehicle/train collisions in recent years along the Mississippi Gulf

Coast has officials concerned.

On Wednesday, the Mississippi Department of Transportation, Amtrak and CSX Transportation officials along with highway patrolmen, local mayors, sheriffs, police chiefs and press, traveled the Coast via train to emphasize safety at railroad crossings.

Among those included on the round trip train ride from Pas-

cagoula to the Claiborne (near Pearl River) from Hancock County included, Sheriff Ronald Peterson, Bay Mayor Eddie Favre, Bay Police Chief Frank McNeil and Bay Police Accident Reconstructionist Lt. David Sellier.

Statistics since 1991 report there have been 52 vehicle/train collisions along the 68 miles of the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

A total of 16 people have died and 19 injured in these collisions. Three of the deaths were in 1993.

Operation Life Saver, a cooperative effort by public agencies and the railroad industry to help save lives, stresses the three "E's" of safety: education, engineering and enforcement.

Operation Life Saver information states, "There is no such thing as a fender-bender at railroad crossings! The chances of death occurring in an accident at a railroad crossing are 10

times greater than for other highway accidents."

CSX officials report one of the problems along the Mississippi Gulf Coast is the number of railroad crossings. CSX officials are now trying to close some of the Coast's 196 crossings, and have been meeting with the respective local officials.

Efforts are also underway by the Federal Railway Administration to close 25% of the nation's railroad crossings by the year 2000.

Railroad officials are concerned, too, with the advent of

Amtrak passenger trains, which will travel 10 m.p.h. faster than the freight trains.

Among the Operation Life Saver safety tips offered to motorists are:

—Expect a train on any track at any time.

—Don't get trapped on a grade (railroad) crossing.

—Never drive around the gates.

—Watch out for the second train.

—Get out of your vehicle if it

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On the move

Bay St. Louis prepares to showcase her charms

JACQUI COCHRAN

The arrival Wednesday of Amtrak's first transcontinental run marks the beginning in a new era of revival for the City of Bay St. Louis.

council Mike Cuevas to formulate an economic development plan.

Cuevas readily admits to having been taken aback, stating, "I really had no idea where to

MDDA provided Cuevas with training and technical assistance in addressing the economic revitalization of the downtown business district. In June of 1991, Bay St. Louis joined the Main Street Program.

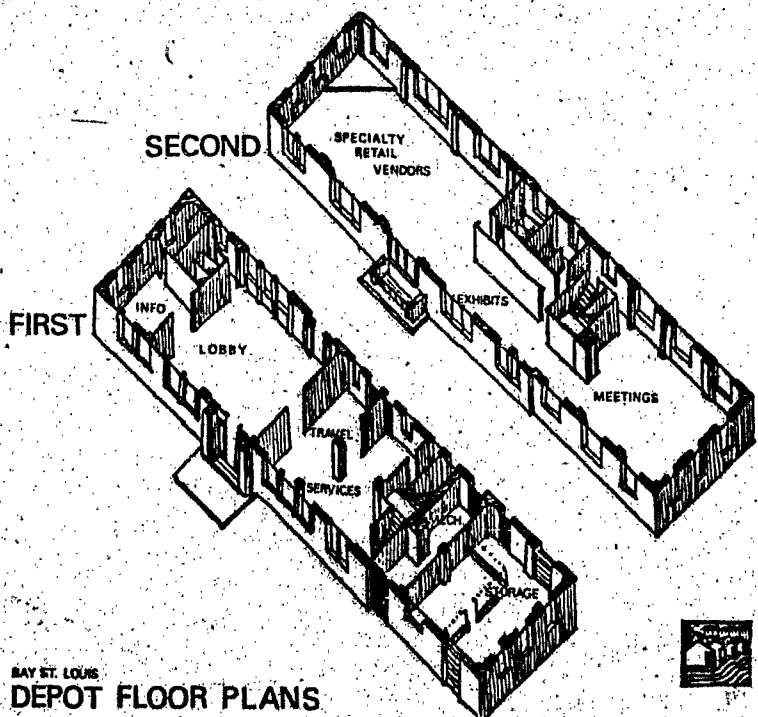
Initiated by the Main Street Program was the organization of the Bay St. Louis Development Foundation.

The foundation is governed by an 11-member board consisting of three retail business owners, a professional planner, an attorney, a public accountant, a banker, a retiree, an insurance professional, an architect and a wholesale sales representative. Board members serve as co-chairmen on five committees: membership, fund-raising, promotion, economic restructuring and design.

Cuevas explained, The city works with the Foundation in a partnership, providing assistance in areas of city services. The Foundation brings together residential and commercial interests, addressing needs such as consistent signage and facade improvements for the downtown area.

According to Cuevas the Foundation set forth to

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For several years the downtown area has been slowly building interest within the four commercial block radius of Main Street and Beach Boulevard.

The city took a leap forward when Mayor Eddie Favre directed clerk of

begin. But the challenge was not long unanswered, when Cuevas was directed to the Mississippi Department of Economic and Community Development, and then to the Mississippi Downtown Development Association (MDDA).

Bay council denies Camp Onward change

BY JACQUI COCHRAN

About 50 residents applauded Bay St. Louis City Council members Tuesday following a unanimous vote to deny a special exception zoning application for Camp Onward.

Council president Jim Thriffley explained to residents the planning and zoning commission denied a zoning change request by Mark Maneval and Dr. Mary Ann Adam-Maneval on January 27.

He said the Manevals appealed the decision, thereby bringing the matter before the city council. Thriffley said should the Manevals appeal the city's decision, they could request a decision from Chancery Court.

Some 35 Bay St. Louis residents voiced opposi-

tion to the zoning request, citing interference with residential living.

The Hattiesburg couple wanted the property zoned for use as a summer sports youth camp and winter adult retreat center.

The 19-acre Camp Onward property is located at 972 S. Beach Boulevard and extends northwest to Railroad Avenue.

The property contains a main house, caretaker's cottage, pool, pool house, bathhouses, four 16-bed cabins and a lodge with a commercial kitchen.

The property is owned by the Kingsley House Group of New Orleans and has been listed for the

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\$3.4 mil. expansion planned at Salmen Scout Reservation

BY ELLIS CUEVAS

Some \$3.4 is expected to be spent on Salmen Scout Reservation in North Hancock County.

A fund drive in Hancock County is being co-chaired by Boy Scout volunteers Jimmy Rutherford and Michael Haas Sr.

The co-chairmen's fathers were instrumental in acquiring the property and making the initial improvements at the Salmen Scout Reservation, formerly known as V-Bar.

In an interview Friday, Rutherford, Haas and Cypress

District Executive Kyle Strander reported the Salmen Scout Reservation, which serves Hancock County and 11 Louisiana parishes, has begun to raise the balance of the \$3.4 needed for the project.

The goal for the Cypress District, which includes Hancock County, is \$75,000. The Cypress District includes Slidell and has 1,400 Scouts and more than 700 adult volunteers.

Strander reported a little over \$2 million has already been raised by the New Orleans Area Council, which has over

22,000 Scouts in the 11 Districts.

The building program at Camp Salmen, which has 1,600 acres of land and a 100-acre lake, has been in operation since 1973.

A new dining hall will be constructed which will serve 500 Scouts at one sitting. The current temporary dining hall only seats 250. The new dining hall will also be used for other Scout functions.

Other construction will include:

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TIDES

WEEK OF 3-28-93

DAYS	HIGH	LOW	DAYS	HIGH	LOW
Sun.	2:30 p.	1:32 a.	Fri.	8:15 p.	6:14 a.
Mon.	3:32 p.	2:34 a.	Sat.	9:53 p.	6:36 a.
Tues.	4:34 p.	3:36 a.	Sun.	12:18 p.	7:40 a.
Wed.	5:37 p.	4:31 a.			6:42 p.
Thurs.	6:51 p.	5:28 a.			Daylight Saving Time begins

BONCO GAME

American Legion Post 139 auxiliary, at Green Meadow Road in Bay St. Louis, will host a Bonco game 7 p.m. Wednesday to benefit veterans affairs at the VA Gulfport Hospital. The donation is \$5.

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OBITUARIES

GORDON ASHLEY JR.
MATTIE CAPPIE
JOHN J. MIORANA
RICHARD E. PARRISH

GORDON ASHLEY JR.
Gordon Ashley Jr., 59, of Bay St. Louis, died Wednesday, March 24, 1993, in Gulfport.

Mr. Ashley was a native of Winnsboro, La. He was a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by his father, Gordon Ashley Sr.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Alice Smith Ashley of Bay St. Louis; a daughter, Mrs. Pamela Dolores Ashley of Jackson, La.; his mother, Mrs. Ruby Ashley of Winnsboro; a brother, Troy Ashley of Winnsboro; two sisters, Mrs. Inez Cupid of Winnsboro and Mrs. Nelda Batton of Arriday, La.; and two grandchildren.

Prayer services were conducted Friday at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, followed by graveside services in Moss Memory Gardens in Moss, Miss.

MATTIE CAPPIE
Mrs. Mattie Cappie, age unavailable, 217 E. Railroad, Pass Christian, died Wednesday, March 24, 1993, in Pass Christian.

Arrangements are incomplete at Lockett-Williams Mortuary in Gulfport.

JOHN J. MIORANA
John J. Miorana, age unavailable, of Bay St. Louis, died Wednesday, March 24, 1993, in Gulfport.

Mr. Miorana was sent from Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis to Jacob Schoen and Son Funeral Home in New Orleans for services and burial.

RICHARD E. PARRISH
Richard E. Parrish, 60, of Kiln died Friday, March 26, 1993, in Biloxi.

Mr. Parrish was a native of Peoria, Ill., and was a resident of the Mississippi Coast for the past 30 years. He was a veteran retired from the Navy, Navy Construction Battalion, after serving 23 1/2 years.

He was employed at the Veterans Administration in Gulfport for the last eight years. He was also employed at the Broadwater Beach Golf Course Pro-Shop, Biloxi, for three years. He was a Protestant.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Eugene M. and Margie J. Lyman Parrish.

Survivors include his wife, Florence Loder Parrish of Kiln; a daughter, Robin Gipsen of Gulfport; and two grandchildren.

Visitation is 6 to 9 p.m. today at Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Services are 11 a.m. Monday in the funeral home chapel, with burial in Biloxi National Cemetery, with full military honors.

SSC officials issue reminder on acoustical buffer zone guidelines

Officials at NASA's John C. Stennis Space Center remind the public of restrictions imposed on the buffer zone lands by the perpetual restrictive easement owned by the U.S. government.

In the early 1960s, the government acquired the land in Hancock County on which SSC is located, and also purchased certain rights in the privately owned land surrounding Stennis.

NASA

The government acquired the right to prohibit dwellings and other buildings which can be lived in or occupied by people on these lands. Mobile homes, camper trailers or other enclosed structures, even on a temporary basis (as in the case of overnight camping), are in conflict with the government's easement rights.

Stennis Space Center is the nation's premier large propulsion test facility. All Space Shuttle Main Engines are tested and certified for flight before being shipped to the Kennedy Space Center in Florida for installation on a shuttle orbiter.

NASA's rocket testing mission at SSC will continue indefinitely into the foreseeable future, and this role is dependent upon the existence and integrity of the buffer zone. The buffer zone is a national asset which surrounds SSC and extends into Hancock and Pearl River counties in Mississippi and St. Tammany Parish in Louisiana. This acoustical buffer zone allows for the dissipation of the loud, low-frequency sound waves generated by the static test of large propulsion systems. Occasionally, when atmospheric conditions focus these sound waves in a particular direction, tests can be heard outside the buffer zone.

Beginning in the mid-60s, all of the Saturn V first and second

LSM Assn.
plans reunion

The national LSM Association will hold its fifth annual national reunion in Charleston, S.C. Aug. 21-25 for all persons who had served on any LSM/LSMR-type amphibious landing ship.

For further information, including planned activities, hotel and activity reservations and costs, contact Richard Schatz, 66 Summer St., Greenfield, MA 01301 (413) 774-2397 before June 21.

Air Training
Command seeks
old photographs

The Air Training Command will celebrate its 50th anniversary in July 1993, and historians are seeking photographs of command activities between 1943-1993.

Individuals having photographs they wish to contribute should send them to: HQ ATC/ HO 1 F Street, Suite 3, Randolph AFB, Texas 78150-4326. Photo captions are appreciated. Photographs cannot be returned.

stages for the Apollo program were flight certified at SSC. Proof of the contributions made by SSC to America's space program was evident in the fact that all of the Apollo space vehicle boosters did their job without a single failure, including those for the Apollo 11 mission that landed the first men on the moon.

In the early 1970s, NASA selected Stennis Space Center to develop the Space Shuttle Main Engine and main propulsion system for the Space Shuttle program. In fact, SSC will continue to test, develop and accept shuttle engines throughout the life of the Space Shuttle program.

Although there are no plans to expand or enlarge the buffer zone, the potential for future test programs at SSC, like the National Aero-Space Plane and the Advanced Solid Rocket Motor, is dependent on its existence.

In addition to NASA, 18 other federal agencies and departments are resident at Stennis. Of a total site population of 4,100 nearly 1,400 are personnel from the U.S. Navy. The buffer zone is, of course, also supportive of these U.S. Defense Department activities and was a factor in their locating at SSC.

NASA is committed to maintaining the buffer zone to support the significant programs of NASA and the other federal agencies at Stennis Space Center. NASA also assists the landowners in utilizing their assets in ways consistent with the provisions of the government's easement (such as agriculture, grazing, recreation, timber management, and mineral exploration and excavation).

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE), as NASA's land

management agent, is responsible for assuring that the regulations governing the use of the buffer zone are met. Both the COE and NASA security regularly patrol the buffer zone to ensure compliance with the terms of the easement.

Area sheriffs, constables and game wardens are charged with sole responsibility, however, for

enforcement of the law on these lands. The vast majority of the land in the acoustical buffer zone is privately owned, and any entry onto them should be with the written permission of the property owners.

For further information or if you have any questions, contact Stennis Space Center's office of chief counsel at 688-2164.

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Golf legend to design
Casino Magic course

Champion golfer Arnold Palmer will arrive at Casino Magic Monday afternoon to finalize the agreement on design of the new 18-hole golf course.

Palmer will design and supervise construction of the new 18-hole golf course and an 18-hole putting course. The course will also consist in the management of the course and the maintenance of the course. Palmer will also be responsible for the design of the clubhouse and the surrounding area.

Leukemia Society
seeks donations

Throughout March, more than 7,000 Mississippi volunteers have been taking steps to cure leukemia.

These volunteers have been

going door-to-door in their own neighborhoods, passing out literature and collecting donations.

The goal is \$80,000 and the proceeds will be used to fund research, patient services, and public and professional education.

The Leukemia Society is trying to find a cure for leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, lymphoma and multiple myeloma. Currently, 200 society researchers are working at institutions in the United States and abroad.

The Leukemia Society provides a financial assistance program for patients with payment up to \$750 per year each for drugs, lab fees, transportation and x-ray therapy. In Mississippi, 400 patients are enrolled for this aid.

Persons wanting additional information should contact the Leukemia Society office at 3000 Old Canton Road, Suite 500, Jackson, MS 39216; 601/982-5334.

MILITARY
MENTIONS

LT TREUTEL
Navy Lieutenant Paul J. Treutel, a 1978 graduate of St. Stanislaus High School in Bay St. Louis, recently completed satellite crew commander training in Colorado Springs, Colo. He has since assumed command of the U.S. Naval Space Surveillance Detachment in Woomera, South Australia.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David A. Treutel of Bay St. Louis, and is married to the former Jill Tisdale of Biloxi.

PVT BERTHA BELL
Pvt. Bertha M. Bell has completed the equipment records and parts specialist course at Fort Lee, Petersburg, Va.

Students learned manual and automated procedures for supply of repair parts and maintenance of equipment records in support of unit readiness at direct and general support levels.

The soldier is the daughter of Percy L. Bell Sr. of Biloxi and Mai N. Bell of Bay St. Louis.

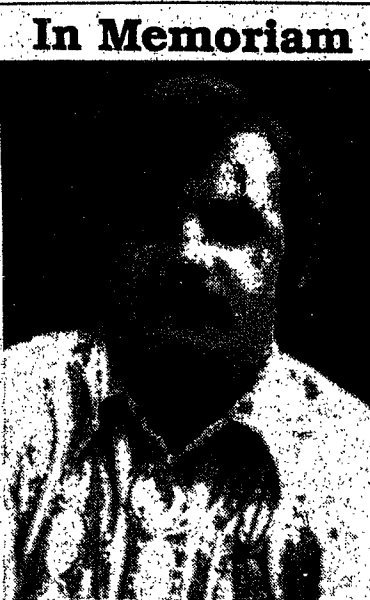
DENTALMAN
APPRENTICE GENARD
New Dentalman Apprentice David A. Genard, a 1992 graduate of St. Stanislaus, recently completed the basic dental assistant course.

Genard will be working at the Naval School of Dental Assisting and Dental Technician, Naval Station, San Diego, Calif. He will receive instruction in dental and dental radiology.

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Winning entries

Capturing top honors in the third annual art show sponsored by the Pass Christian Art Association are Georgia Kuhner, center, first place; Jean Hammett, seated, second place; and Charles Jarreau, left, third place. The event was March 10 at the Pass Christian Yacht Club. (Photo by Janet McQueen)

Oyster limits increase in Harrison and Hancock

The commercial oyster sack limit in Harrison and Hancock counties will increase from 40 sacks per day per licensed vessel to 60 sacks per day, effective April 1.

The commercial oyster sack limit in Jackson County will remain at 10 sacks per day per vessel. The statewide recreational sack limit will remain at three sacks per person per seven-day period.

John Cirino, BMR shellfish coordinator, said the decision to raise the limit came at the request of oyster fishermen,

who have been restricted from harvesting oysters this season because of frequent rains.

Cirino said that allowing oystermen to harvest as many oysters as possible between now and the end of oyster season will help the reefs produce more marketable oysters next season.

"Increased harvest effort will help break up clustered oysters into single oysters," Cirino said. "Both oystermen and processors have had a problem marketing Mississippi because the oysters are badly clustered."

Clustered oysters take longer to shuck, reducing processors' daily production, and are less desirable in the half-shell trade than single oysters. In turn, the processors pay less to the fisherman for clustered oysters.

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HC Republicans meet April 5

The regular meeting of the Hancock County Republican Club will be held 7 p.m. Monday, April 5 at Bay-Tech Associates, Second Street, Bay St. Louis.

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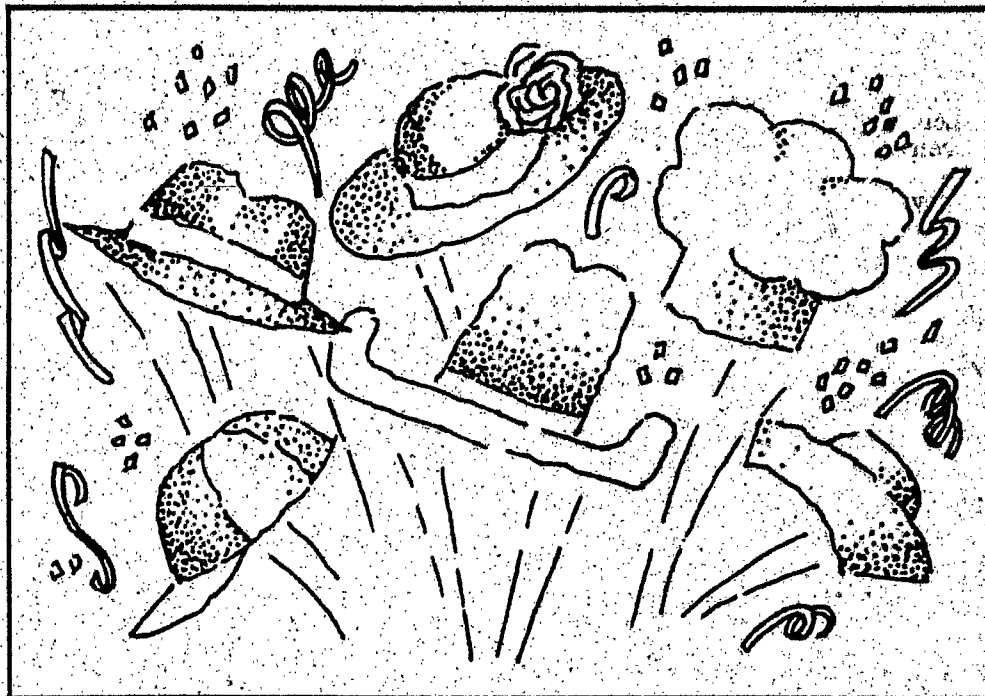
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Hats Off To Our Doctors!



March 30 is Doctors' Day and we're tipping our hats to our physicians, not only today, but *every* day. At Hancock Medical Center, we value our medical staff, their dedication to the community, and most importantly, the standard of care they provide to the patient.

Join us as we recognize our medical staff this Doctors' Day!

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"QUOTABLE QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

Red Beans and Rice . . . no one should eat anything else on Monday, if the Hancock County Chapter of the American Cancer Society has its way.

Monday is the annual Red Beans and Rice Cook-off, sponsored by the American Cancer Society.

The big, big event will be held at the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

You will have some 25 different cooking styles to eat from and even be a judge of the tastiest beans.

There is a donation of \$5 per person, and all proceeds go to a very worthy cause, the American Cancer Society.

Tickets will be available at the door, and take-outs will be available.

Upstairs and downstairs will be utilized this year at the yacht club, which is located on North Beach Boulevard, Bay St. Louis.

I hope to see you at lunch Monday.

A few days after the snow I had a Rotary friend ask how my red potatoes were doing.

I guess he figured they were killed by the snow. I was lucky, as they had not come through the leaves and grass clippings I planted them in.

They sure are pretty and green now, and with some good weather I may luck up with a good crop.

Jane is ready to plant the rest of our garden, but it has been too wet to turn the soil and throw the hills.

We can still have a late frost, so if you plant those tender plants, you may have to protect them a few nights.

The gnats are really getting bad, and this is the time of year when the bluegills bite really well.

The only problem is keeping the gnats away. Of course, there are some very good lotions, and some smell really good but send the gnats in other directions.

I have noticed several hummingbirds at our and neighbor's feeders. They are making a short stop after crossing the Gulf of Mexico and are getting ready for their last leg of the journey up north.

Don't forget the big celebration at the Railroad Depot on Wednesday starting at 10 a.m.

This will mark the arrival of Amtrak's Sunset Limited.

Bay St. Louis, Amtrak and CSX Transportation officials will be joined by many for the big celebration.

St. Stanislaus and Bay High's bands, the Historical Society, Retired Senior Volunteers Program members, Mardi Gras krewe members, Explorer Troop Honor Guard and representatives from the 17 local schools, along with others, will be on hand for the festive occasion.

I plan on being there, and I hope to see you too.

IN CONGRESS

By Rep. Gene Taylor

Stop foreign influence on U.S. elections and lobbying

Most South Mississippians have probably read the stories in the newspaper recently about how former high-level federal officials are jumping ship to represent foreign interests.

Every time I read one of these stories I am infuriated by the fact that these former officials are peddling their expertise to foreign governments and corporations at the expense of America's strength and security, not to mention the American taxpayer.

The former high-level federal officials include members of Congress, White House officials, Congressional staff and executive agency officials. Once they have worked for the U.S. Government for a few years or a few decades, they then pass through the revolving door between government service and lobbying for foreign interests.

To close the revolving door, I am a co-sponsor of a bill that would ensure that our nation's trade negotiators are working for America while they serve in government, instead of posturing themselves for a future position with a foreign corporation. The bill will impose a lifetime ban on high level government officials from representing, advising, or lobbying for foreign governments and foreign political parties and foreign political parties and foreign political parties.

ign Lobby Act, that would curtail foreign influence on American government.

The measure will establish a centralized data center for the collection of all information regarding the lobbying activities of foreign-controlled corporations and individuals representing foreign governments.

The Act will prohibit contributions from political action committees controlled by corporations that are at least 50 percent owned by persons other than U.S. citizens. And it bans contributions by trade associations which derive more than 50 percent of their budgets from foreign interests.

Our current system of campaign financing threatens to make our political system vulnerable to the decisions of foreign interests. Campaign reform must become a reality.

I believe limiting the influence foreign governments have on our system should be an integral part of that reform. Both foreign influence bills, if passed, will have a major impact on the way foreign governments and corporations deal with the United States in both trade and their lobbying efforts.

We are being naive if we continue to believe that foreign corporations and former high-ranking government officials working for foreign interests have no influence on the way America does business or the results of our elections.



Operation Lifesaver

Bay St. Louis Police Chief Frank McNeil, left, Lt. David Sellier and Amtrak Police Captain Donald James discuss crossing safety Wednesday. An Operation Lifesaver trip from Pascagoula to Claiborne (near Pearl River) and return was sponsored by the Mississippi Department of Transportation, Amtrak and CSX Transportation for coastal police, elected officials and the media in preparation for Amtrak's Sunset Limited scheduled to start April 4. (Echo staff photo by Ellis Cuevas)



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hancock beachfront begs for improvements

To the Editor:

The Harrison County supervisors should be congratulated for their success in planning and developing the pedestrian path along their beach. Of particular interest is the fact that the majority of the costs will come from the federal government.

The writer has urged for several years the similar development of the Hancock County beach.

However, it seems that present plans indicate only the replacement of 1/4 to 1/3 of the beach from Hwy. 90 to Bayou

Caddy.

This is unfortunately shortsighted! It not only fails to develop our greatest natural resource, but leaves exposed to destruction our old crumbling seawall and beach road.

If the citizens of Hancock County disagree with the present plans, they should tell their supervisors now that they want protection and development of our beach for the enjoyment of all our citizens.

Sincerely,
R. W. Breeden
Bay St. Louis.

Keep our beach free from litter

Dear Editor,

St. Paul's Mini-Mission of Christ Episcopal Church held its annual spring cleanup Saturday, March 20. Each year we pick up trash in the one block radius of our church.

The 1993 cleanup presented us with a very pleasant surprise. Our block includes St. Charles and Ramoneda streets. Much to our delight, we found that the residents of these two neighborhoods had kept their streets remarkably clean.

The St. Paul's Mini-Mission would like to commend these wonderful people for accepting responsibility for the ditches in front of their homes. They obviously understand that their lawn includes the area right up to the street and that by cleaning the ditches, they add to the

beauty of their homes.

Unfortunately, once again this year we found the beach road littered with trash. Cigarette butts, bottles and plastic wrappers defaced our lovely beach road.

Please, citizens of Bay St. Louis and Waveland, treasure the beautiful landscape God has given us to live in! Remember that the advent of gambling in our region will bring many more tourists than in past seasons.

Take pride in our community as we play host to these visitors and safeguard our assets so that we may all continue to enjoy them.

Sincerely,
Stacey M. Standridge
St. Paul's Mini-Mission
Christ Episcopal Church

City schools in need of basic materials

To the Editor,

I keep reading about Hancock County gaming revenues for the Sheriff's Department, Hancock County Schools, the general fund, etc.

What about city schools? Are they non-existent?

Having been involved with the Parent-Teacher Organization for the past three years, I feel they certainly could use some help.

For the past two years we have bought art supplies for our school. This is a considerable

amount of money for volunteers to make with fund-raisers. I'm just talking about basics such as construction paper, glue and paints. These are very important learning tools for elementary school children.

In fact, some teachers purchase these basics out of their pockets, which is outrageous considering what they make.

City schools do exist! Give them their fair share.

Sincerely,
Linda Monks
Bay St. Louis

THE PEOPLE'S BUSINESS

From the Mississippi Economic Council



Easing the political heartburn

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These are a few examples of the annual reported incomes of chancery and circuit clerks around the state, incomes that have enjoyed unregulated growth and little or no examination over the years.

Although legislation to remove chancery and circuit clerks from the current fee system died last month, the House and Senate last week passed bills to limit clerks' income to not more than that of the Governor, who receives \$75,600 per year.

The fee system, with or without

a cap on income, still remains fertile ground for abuse of tax dollars because there is no call for accountability or fiscal responsibility. However, if clerks were placed on fixed salaries, taxpayers would know exactly where, and for what, their hard earned money is being used.

In other words, chancery and circuit clerks would be subject to the same salary and job constraints as all other elected officials statewide. That's only fair.

The bills that came out of the Legislature last week only

HEARTBURN—Page 5



REPORT FROM THE SENATE

\$67 million goes to state employees pay raises

Senators have spent numerous hours in conference meetings with members of the House of Representatives this week to reach an agreement on the finalized form a bill will take before being sent to the Governor.

Conference reports were filed on appropriations and revenue bills by midnight Saturday, March 27. The Senate will be in session this weekend working toward the Monday, March 29 deadline for final adoption of conference reports on appropriations and revenue bills and for filing conference reports on general bill.

On Thursday, the Senate approved \$31 million in general funds and \$35 million in special funds for a package totaling \$67 million for state employees pay raises. This will provide for a minimum of a \$1,600 increase or 4 percent of present salary or realignment, whichever is greatest. With realignment some employees being paid under \$30,000 can receive up to a 20 percent increase.

All salaries between \$30,000 and \$50,000 are capped at a 10 percent increase. Anyone making above \$50,000 is capped at a 5 percent increase. 88 percent of state employees receive less than \$30,000 in pay. 67 percent of employees receive less than \$20,000. Only 371 state employees currently receive in excess of \$50,000.

This is one of the most progressive pieces of legislation from the 1993 session. The Senate has attempted to place attention on low wage earners in order to aid them during these tough economic times. Teacher pay raises are being worked on in conference but should be addressed before the session ends. Senate Bill 3118 is awaiting approval from the Governor. This bill gives every manufacturer, wholesaler, distributor, or retail merchant in the state

of Mississippi, a dollar for dollar credit on their state income taxes against the inventory taxes paid at the local level.

In other words, a retailer that pays \$2,000 to the county for taxes on inventory would get up to a \$2,000 credit with the state on his income tax from his business. This credit will be phased in over the next four years by receiving up to \$2,000 in 1993, \$3,000 in 1995, \$4,000 in 1996, and a maximum of \$5,000 in 1997.

The tax is determined on a per location basis. Thirty-eight states already have some form of exemption for inventory tax in business. By passage this is another in a series of legislation passed to increase business opportunities in Mississippi. This could help attract regional distribution warehouses to locate in Mississippi.

One of the most highly discussed bills in Hancock County has been House Bill 1633 which concerns the taxing of gaming vessels. It has definitely created some division among citizens of our county. Most people seem to agree that the overall concept is good. Normally, a resolution would be submitted by the county supervisor without much alteration.

Nevertheless, I have supported this bill with some minor changes because the original language would limit the use of the monies.

For example, the county portion was marked for the general fund and would not have allowed paving or bridge work. The amendment I offered would align the monies for Hancock County's needs.

April 4 is the date the session is scheduled to end. The Senate is working day and night on the bills that will be acted upon in 1993.

Submitted by Senator Bill Johnson, who can be reached at P. O. Box 1018, Jackson, MS 39215 or by calling 358-3770.

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Letters of thanks, expressions of appreciation and political endorsements are considered inappropriate for the Letters to the Editor columns.

—Ellis Cuevas, publisher

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Cookoff countdown

25 red bean recipes ready for judging tomorrow

BY JANET MCQUEEN
If it's Monday in the New Orleans area, it's red beans and rice day.

And if it's the last Monday in March, it's a red bean lovers dream come true when the Hancock County Chapter American Cancer Society annual cookoff takes place at the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club.

Three categories of contestants are as follows:

Restaurant—Armand's, Bay-Waveland Yacht Club, Carole's Olde Towne, Daddy O's, Diamondhead Days Inn, Diamondhead Supermarket, The Galley, Lala's Deli and The Reef/Cafe Reef.

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Ladner/Tony Esau/Dennis Westbrook), Mayor Eddie Favre (Bay St. Louis); Mayor Stella Filot (Waveland), Circuit Clerk Pam Metzler/Tax Assessor Eddie Murtagh/Chancery Clerk Mike Necaise; Bay St. Louis Police Chief Frank McNeil/Sheriff Ronnie Peterson/Waveland Police Chief Jimmy Varnell; Port and Harbor Commission and Hancock County Board of Supervisors.

Each ticket holder may vote in the People's Choice contest, while a panel of judges will choose the Golden Bean winners in each category.

"The Last Straws" will provide Dixieland music on the front lawn of the Yacht Club,

where beverages, desserts and seating will be available.

The event will be from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Donation is \$5, and includes unlimited bean tasting, coleslaw by Layne's Krispy Chicken, french bread and iced tea.

Patrons of the event include DuPont Inc., Regina Corp., Ryan Marine, Ter Chemicals and Struthers Industries.

Tickets are available at Jeanne Anne's Hallmark, Bay St. Louis or from any of the participants or ACS board members including Rose Almerico, 255-3698; Janet McQueen, 467-5473; or Basil Kennedy, 467-5793.

Curbside recycling begins Thurs.

Special to the Echo
Recycling pickup begins Thursday in Bay St. Louis. Residents have spent the past

month training for the curbside program, which is being administered by Gulf Coast Recycling under contract to the city.

An advance public information campaign by GCR to familiarize residents with the curbside collection process included neighborhood meetings, volunteer enlistment, school recycling demonstrations and door-to-door distribution of instructional literature.

Enthusiastic residents have told GCR personnel they began saving the designated recyclables months ago, at the first announcement that the City Council had approved the contract with GCR for weekly curbside recycling service. At the neighborhood meetings, residents were eager to learn how to handle these surplus materials without slowing the collection process, said Penny Penrose, GCR executive director.

To achieve efficiency in curbside pickup, Penrose said, residents with surplus recyclables are requested to first fill their household recycling container, then set out one extra box or bag each week beside their recycling container, until their sorted materials are all recycled.

This will enable GCR to handle the increased volume at a manageable rate without disrupting its widely publicized schedule of collections, Penrose said. Gulf Coast recycling has divided the city into five collection routes with each to be serviced on one of the five weekdays.

Delivery of recycling containers is scheduled for completion by sundown of March 30. Resident households that have not received recycling containers by

then should call GCR's toll-free number, 467-9268, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

They will be sent a voucher to be presented at the Utilities Department in City Hall, where they will receive a recycling container.

The 14-gallon burgundy-colored plastic containers are imprinted with the city's logo and have an attached bungee cord to extend the capacity of the container and prevent wind-driven litter. Inside each bin is an information packet comprised of a service calendar and instructions for correct use of the container.

On the resident's designated collection day, the bin should be set at curbside by 7:30 a.m., but only if it is full, or nearly full. This may be only once or twice a month for smaller households. Penrose said that to avoid damage to the containers, which are city property, they should be returned indoors as soon as possible after they are empty.

Landfill closed

The Hancock County Road Department announced the closing of the Pearlington landfill Thursday until further notice.

The front part will remain open for household garbage only.

Recycling In Brief

- Toll-free number to Gulf Coast Recycling: 467-9268.
- Recycling bins delivery deadline: By dark Tuesday, March 30.
- First day of curbside pickup: Thursday, April 1 (for Thursday route members)
- What to recycle: Metal food and beverage cans, newspapers, glass bottles and jars and plastic soft drink bottles and milk jugs
- Time of day to set container at curbside: By 7:30 a.m.
- Residents with excess recyclables: Fill your city container first, then set out one extra box or bag on your recycling date each week until all materials are recycled.
- Route information if yours is misplaced: City Hall

Mac Frampton Trio concert rescheduled

The Mac Frampton Trio concert has been rescheduled for Sunday, May 2 at 2:30 p.m. at Biloxi High School auditorium. The Coast Community Concert series program was postponed due to recent weather

conditions. Information regarding the organization's 1993-94 membership drive is available from membership chairman Margaret McDougal at 432-8656, Biloxi.

BIRTH

HILLARY ALEXANDRA ROWE

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Rowe of Gulfport announce the birth of their second child, Hillary Alexandra, March 19, 1993 at 12:56 p.m. at Memorial Hospital at Gulfport.

She weighed 8 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces.

Mrs. Rowe is the former Nikki Asher.

Maternal grandparents are Dale Schill of Bay St. Louis and the late Roy J. Asher.

Paternal grandparents are Dr. Conrad Rowe of Pass Christian and Ann Rowe of Birmingham, Ala.

Paternal great-grandmother is Ruth Chancellor of Birmingham, Ala.

Waveland Seniors Club seeks charter members

Are you a charter member of the Senior Citizens Club of Waveland? If so, please contact Royce Kaupp at 487-7948.

During April, all charter members and past presidents of

the seniors club will be honored at the Founders' Day meeting, 10 a.m., April 12 at American Legion Post 77.

Heartburn

Continued from Page 4

serve to put the issue on a back burner. As one proponent of a salary system said, it "just takes a little political heartburn off some clerks."

Elected officials should know to expect political heartburn in their jobs. They should also know that public office should not be pursued as a profit-making enterprise.

Maybe next year will bring some change. Maybe.

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Peat moss helps soil textures

By Du Wilo Burnham
Horticulturist
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Canadian peat moss is perhaps the most common and popular soil amendment used by gardeners to improve their soils. Clay soils open up when it is added, and sandy soils' moisture and nutrient holding capacities are improved. Peat moss is the preferred soil amendment for Mississippi's blueberry growers.

than it is being used. In Canada, where the annual harvest is about 20 million bales or 749,000 metric tons (825,398 tons), peat is replaced by about 50 million metric tons that accumulate naturally each year. The annual accumulation of organic matter in the

decomposed peat primarily of Sphagnum mosses. The harvest season runs from late May to mid-September. The harvest procedure consists of removing the surface vegetation, draining the area and allowing the peat to dry. It is then vacuumed up, screened and packaged in compressed bales.

In addition to its use as a garden soil amendment, peat moss also is used in the production of potting soil mixes where nutrients and other

the Soviet Union production which made up 93 percent of the world's peat in 1989.

The United States consumes 80 to 90 percent of Canada's peat exports which make up about 44 percent of the U.S. peat consumption. American produced peat is generally classed as reed-sedge peat which is different from the Sphagnum peat imported from Canada.

While going to school in Michigan, I had the opportunity to work with onion, carrot, celery, mint and sod producers. These crops were produced on pure peat in the naturally occurring bog areas that had been drained. The peat didn't resemble Canadian peat in any way. It was black and of a very fine texture. You didn't want to be standing in the area if the surface was dry and the wind blowing.

With proper management, this highly decomposed organic matter grew excellent vegetables. Unlike the Canadian peat, it was not a renewable resource, and farming practices accelerated the loss to erosion and rapid oxidation.

If you'd like to use Canadian peat in your garden but don't like the price, remember, most of the cost is in the shipping—not the product or the production. Here in the Deep South, pine bark has replaced peat moss as a soil amendment in a lot of horticultural uses. As for me, I was raised using Canadian peat, and there are two bales of it at the house right now.

Better to spend our
tax money on schools,
roads and parks
than to spend it
picking up behind us!

GARDENING TIME

Since peat moss is acidic in nature, it is also the preferred soil amendment for growing azaleas and camellias.

Peat moss is mainly derived from Sphagnum moss but also comes from reed and other sedge deposits. Canadian peat moss is a renewable resource and is accumulating at a faster rate

form of peat is at a rate of 4 to 8 inches in 100 years. To be sure, Canada has a considerable acreage of wetlands (274 million acres) where peat accumulates. The horticultural peat market prefers a slightly

materials are added. Some is used for the manufacture of the popular peat pots used in the bedding plant trade, though these are being replaced by plastic.

Canada ranks third in the world in horticultural peat production after the former Soviet Union and Germany. Canada's production is minimal when compared to

Caring for plants after recent freezing weather

By John E. Davis
Horticulture Specialist

Cold injury to plants in the landscape usually occurs from one of two causes: freezing or drying out of plant tissues. Both forms can occur at the same time. Freeze injury first appears as water-soaked areas on leaves, fruit, or stems.

Later, these areas turn black. With larger plants, the damage may appear as cracks in the bark, usually near the soil line. In this case, the damage may not be evident until the plants die, usually with the first hot spell.

degrees for the low Saturday night. I think this is when most of our damage occurred.

I checked some of the plants in my yard. The verbena seemed to be okay, maybe a little pushed over by the snow load, but otherwise alright. There was some injury to my camellia blossoms.

My azaleas blossoms had frozen and thawed and were hanging limply on the foliage. The new growth was damaged, also. I am disappointed that the flowering season was shortened. However, little permanent damage has been done since the

Unprotected, tender plants or plants with new, tender growth were damaged. Pruning and a little time for regrowth will correct most of the damage done.

A local strawberry grower used irrigation to help provide some cold protection. Even with irrigation, he and I noticed some damage, especially on the smaller, immature berries. The strawberry plants and the larger berries looked fine. The yield has been reduced. Nonetheless, there will be many strawberries to pick.

Those plants that are still dormant have little or no damage that I can see. As for those damaged, pruning to remove the injured tissue is first on the list. Wait until this weekend so you can fully determine the extent of the injured tissue. Pruning should be followed with a light fertilizer application, provided you have not yet fertilized your shrubs.

Think of your injured plants as being sick and needing lots of tender loving care. Prevent as much stress as possible. Water during dry times. Mulch to eliminate weed competition and to reduce moisture stress. With a little luck, you will be able to minimize your losses to the blizzard of '93.

Alateen meets weekly on Fri.

A group of teenagers whose lives have been affected by someone else's drinking meets each Friday at 8 p.m. at Rebo's Club, 300 Third Street, Bay St. Louis.

The Alateen group welcomes new members who wish to overcome problems associated with the disease of alcoholism.

For additional information, call 467-6488.

Alanon invites new members

The Alanon fellowship of family groups meets Monday and Friday at 8 p.m. and Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Rebo's Club, 300 Third Street, Bay St. Louis.

Alanon invites those who are affected by someone else's drinking to join the group.

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Drying of plant tissues is seen as a marginal browning of foliage. You'll notice this injury just after a cold spell accompanied by winds.

We've certainly had enough cold damage with the recent storm. I had about 2 inches of the snow on the picnic table in my back yard. My high/low thermometer read 30 degrees for the low Friday night. Saturday night was worse. The snow was gone, but the skies were clear. Coupled with calm winds and lots of radiant cooling, my high/low thermometer read 23

best time to prune azaleas is just after they flower. I'll just prune mine a little earlier than I had planned.

The birds seemed to get most of last year's blueberry harvest. Not this year! The cold saw to that. My plum tree and pear trees were also damaged. Most of the injury being confined to the blossoms and newly forming fruit. The plums were injured worse than the pears.

Most of the nurseries in our area took precautions to minimize damage to their plants. There was some injury, though.



Celebrating 93rd

Mary Boyd, a resident of Miramar Lodge Nursing Home in Pass Christian, celebrated her 93rd birthday. She was born in Mississippi on March 9, 1900. She came to the Mississippi Gulf Coast 20 years ago and joined the Mount Chapel Baptist Church in Waveland. She resided in Waveland until her death a few years ago. (Echo staff photo by Liz Boyd)

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1. **THE CLIENT**, by John Grisham. (Doubleday, \$23.50.) A deadly secret, revealed by a lawyer just before he commits suicide, presents serious problems for an 11-year-old boy. (BWK)
2. **BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY**, by Robert James Waller. (Warner, \$14.95.) A photographer and a lonely farmer's wife in Iowa. (B)
3. **THE TALISMANS OF SHANNARA**, by Terry Brooks. (Del Rey/Ballantine, \$22.) The fourth and concluding volume in a series about a fantasy land. (BW)
4. **THE CHILDREN OF MEN**, by P. D. James. (Knopf, \$22.) In 2021, when Britain is a police state and the human race is approaching its end, an Oxford historian struggles with his fate. (BW)
5. **NOVEMBER OF THE HEART**, by LaVyrre Spencer. (Putnam, \$22.95.) In Victorian-era Minnesota, a servant hopes to win an heiress's heart by helping her family win a yacht race. (BWK)
6. **ALONG CAME A SPIDER**, by James Patterson. (Little, Brown, \$21.95.) Detective Alex Cross on the trail of a psychopathic serial killer in Washington. (BK)
7. **DEGREE OF GUILT**, by Richard North Patterson. (Knopf, \$23.) The case of a woman journalist charged with killing an eminent novelist: was it self-defense or murder? (B)
8. **GRIFFIN & SABINE**, by Nick Bantock. (Chronicle Books, \$17.95.) The romance of an artist and a secret admirer, told through cards and letters. (B)
9. **ALL THE PRETTY HORSES**, by Cormac McCarthy. (Knopf, \$21.) The adventures of a 16-year-old vaquero from Texas in the Mexico of 1950. (B)
10. **EINSTEIN'S DREAMS**, by Alan Lightman. (Pantheon, \$17.) A series of fantasies said to be dreamed by Albert Einstein in 1905, when he was a young clerk in a Swiss patent office. (B)

NON-FICTION

1. **HEALING AND THE MIND**, by Bill Moyers. (Doubleday, \$25.) The relationship of sickness in thoughts and emotions. (B)
2. **THE WAY THINGS OUGHT TO BE**, by Rush H. Limbaugh. (Pocket, \$22.) Anecdotes and opinions offered by the radio talk show host. (B)
3. **WOMEN WHO RUN WITH THE WOLVES**, by Clarissa Pinkola Estes. (Ballantine, \$20.) A Jungian analyst interprets myths and folk tales to enable women to understand their psyches. (B)
4. **OFFICIAL AND CONFIDENTIAL**, by Anthony Summers. (Putnam, \$22.95.) The life of J. Edgar Hoover, head of the F.B.I. from 1924 to 1972. (B)
5. **BANKRUPTCY 1995**, by Harry E. Figgie Jr. with Gerald J. Swanson. (Little, Brown, \$19.95.) The authors predict the collapse of America under Government debt and suggest ways to cope with it. (BW)

6. **THE SILENT PASSAGE**, by Gail Sheehy. (Random House, \$16.) The psychological and sexual significance of menopause for today's women. (B)
7. **ASSEMBLING CALIFORNIA**, by John McPhee. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, \$21.) Investigations into the geological history of California. (W)
8. **PREPARING FOR THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY**, by Paul Kennedy. (Random House, \$25.) A Yale historian essays social and political forces and how they will affect the future. (W)
9. **THE TE OF PIGLET**, by Benjamin Hoff. (Dutton, \$16.) Aspects of Taoist philosophy explained through the actions of an A.A. Milne character. (B)
10. **CARE OF THE SOUL**, by Thomas Moore. (Harper Collins, \$20.) A psychotherapist's discussion of spirituality and everyday life. (B)

Friendship Oak DAR celebrates 10th year

National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Friendship Oak Chapter, Long Beach, will meet March 31 to observe its tenth anniversary. Brunch will be served at 10 a.m. at the University of South Mississippi Gulf Park campus, overlooking the Friendship Oak. Mrs. John C. Elkins of Fairfax, Va., organizing regent, will be guest speaker. On March 31, Mrs. Williams S. Murphy, state regent, administered the oath of office to Elkins as 13 members gathered under the 500-year-old Friendship Oak tree. Organizing members include Mrs. E. George Cassis, Mrs. Philip R. Davenport, Mrs. John C. Elkins, Miss Lucy H. Ewin, Mrs. William J. Gemmell, Mrs. Fred L. Logan, Mrs. H. M. Minnie, Mrs. Nunez C. Pilet, Mrs. Mark Payne, Mrs. Catherine M. Shedd, Miss Cathy Jo Shedd, Mrs. Harry S. Walker Jr., and Mrs. James E. Young. From these original 13, the chapter membership has grown to 44. The chapter took its name

from Gulf Park's "Friendship Oak" and attributes special significance to the inscription at its base, "I am the Friendship Oak. Those who enter my shadow will remain friends through all their lifetime." Past regents include Mrs. John C. Elkins (1983-84), Mrs. Philip R. Davenport (1984-86), Mrs. James R. Thomas (1986-89), and Mrs. William J. Gemmell (1989-92). The present regent is Mrs. Thomas (1992-95). Mrs. Williams S. Murphy of Lucedale, honorary state regent, will be in attendance at this special observance. Hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. E. George Cassis and Mrs. Robert C. Willems.

Altrusa Club sets Rummage Sale April 3

The Altrusa Club will sponsor a Rummage Sale on Sat., Apr. 3, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the corner of Sycamore and Hancock streets, Bay St. Louis. Proceeds from the sale will go towards the club's many community projects, club president Liz Lagarde said. Anyone interested in participating can rent a table for \$10 by calling Lagarde, 467-6686; or Pat Kingston, fund raising chairman, 467-9130.

Chapter I meeting Thurs.

The public is invited to a planning meeting for the 1993-94 Chapter I program for the Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 1 in the Central Office board room on Carroll Avenue, Bay St. Louis.

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Gulf Coast Newcomers Club

Incoming president Juliet Jassby of Gulf Coast Newcomers Club announced chairmen for standing committees for 1993.

First vice-president Ermagene Delony of Bay St. Louis assumes the responsibility of program chairman, second vice-president Frances Cannon of Pass Christian will serve as membership chairman.

Corresponding secretary Marie Litton of Long Beach becomes Sunshine chairman, Shirley Sessions of Biloxi will serve as treasurer and Judith Bernal of Gulfport as recording secretary.

Historian/parliamentarian will be Lynne Rouse of Ocean Springs; telephone chairman, Ruth Lipscomb of Long Beach; newsletter, Marge Graves of Long Beach; hospitality, Gudren Gsell and Leota Walters, both of Long Beach; social, Jo Stanford of Gulfport and Vera Reich of Biloxi.

Community service, Maureen Michaelson of Bay St. Louis; pot pourri, Nashie Ward of Long Beach; ways and means, Ebbie Simpson of Gulfport; crafts, Bettie Kendall of Biloxi, assisted by Helen Davis of Pass Christian.

Bridge, Willa Campbell of Pass Christian; coffees, Trish King, Gulfport; salad luncheons, Edna Etzold, Pass Christian; second liners, Helen Davis, Pass Christian; and Doris Folio, Pass Christian; investment group, Betty Strickland of Pass Christian; cook book, Norma Davis of Pass Christian.

The Gulf Coast Newcomers Club will meet Tuesday, April 13 at the Best Western Beach View Inn in Gulfport at 11 a.m. with lunch following at noon.

The program will be: Charles Gray, vice president of Hancock County Historical Society, who will speak on "History and Legends on the Gulf Coast."

Any woman who has moved to the Coast in the past three years is invited to join. Call Frances Cannon at 452-9826 or Juliet Jassby at 452-3670 for information.

Southern Women

Southern Women's Club will combine the board and general meetings in the month of April. Both board and general members will meet April 1 at the Center of Women's Health, Long Beach.

The board will meet at 9 a.m. followed by the general membership meeting at 10. Steve Hardin from the Gulf Coast Chamber of Commerce will be guest speaker.

Coast Jazz Society

On Monday night, March 29, the Gulf Coast Jazz Society will hold its monthly jam session and dance. Doors open at 7 and the music starts at 7:30. The public is invited, and admission for non-members is \$5.

The festivities will be on the top floor of the Royal d'Iberville hotel on Hwy. 90, across from the Sea and Sirolo. The hotel provides a cash bar and ample room for dancing or listening.

Slated to perform at 7:30 p.m. is the 'Seniors, too,' at 8 the Back Bay Jazz, followed at 8:30 p.m. by Ted Gifford's group. Jazz Traditions play at 9, followed by the Biloxi Jazz at 9:30, and Jazz Etc. begins at 10. At 10:30 p.m., a jam session will begin and play until 11. Additional information may be obtained from president Owen McPeck at 388-7723.

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 139

Roslyn Weathers and Lena Mae Oustalet, members of the Clement R. Bontemps American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 139, were invited to the Miramar Lodge Nursing Home in Pass Christian to entertain the residents Wednesday, March 17 for the St. Patrick's Day party.

Jerri Brown, director of activity, had the dining room decorated with green balloons, and each resident wore a hat or tiara and a shamrock pin.

Oustalet played the piano, while Weathers led the singing of Irish songs. Refreshments were served by the staff.

The monthly birthday party for the residents of Woodland Village in Diamondhead, sponsored by the Clement R. Bontemps American Legion Auxiliary Unit 139, and hosted by Roslyn Weathers, was Tuesday, March 23.

Gina Godbold, director of activities, had the dining room filled with residents who listened to the music of Lena Mae Oustalet at the piano, while Roslyn Weathers led the singing. Refreshments were served by the staff.

The monthly birthday party for the residents of the Hotel Reed Nursing Center was March 25.

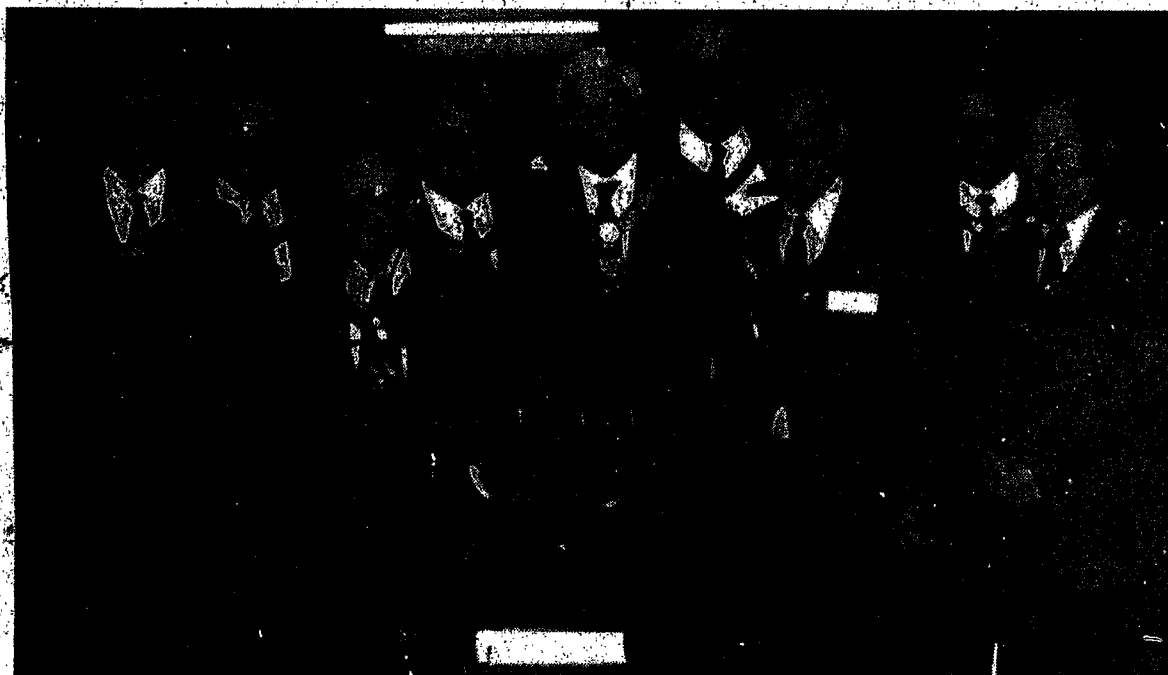
Lena Mae Oustalet played the piano, while Roslyn Weather led the singing. While 'Happy Birthday' was sung, the residents were handed their gifts. Pat Turnipseed and the staff helped with the serving of refreshments. Co-hostesses were Weathers and Oris Planchard.

Elks Lodge installs officers

The installation of officers for the Bay-Waveland Elks Lodge (BPOE No. 2776) for 1993-94 took place at the lodge on Union Street in Bay St. Louis Tuesday, March 16.

Installed were Guy Dye, five-year trustee; Donald Mauffray, esteemed lecturing knight; Gene Woodrick, exalted ruler; Conrad Mauffray, esteemed leading knight; Bob Hellmers, chaplain.

Russell Voorhies, treasurer; Leonard Smith, secretary; Francis Fahrenholt, inner guard; Ross Burke, esteemed loyal knight.



Front row from left, Dye, D. Mauffray, Woodrick, C. Mauffray, Hellmers; back row, Voorhies, Smith, Fahrenholt, Burke.

Forrest Necaise, tiler; David Williams, esquire; Robert Winch, one-year trustee; Ed Baxter, two-year trustee; Sid Oden, three-year trustee; and Carlos Arnold Sr., four-year trustee.

Alzheimer's support group offers monthly open house

The Mississippi Gulf Coast Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association announces a monthly open house for families who have a member recently diagnosed with Alzheimer's.

Demo executive committee meets

The Hancock County Democratic Executive Committee will meet Tuesday, April 6 at 6 p.m. at the courthouse in the supervisors' room.

Meetings are open to the public and visitors are welcome. There are vacancies on the committee.

Anyone interested in serving or having questions may contact Pete Benvenuti, county chairman, 467-6057; Geraldine Lang, vice chairman, 467-9056; or Mark Shima, secretary, 467-0603.

Republican Women to meet April 1

The Hancock County Republican Women's Club will meet Thursday, April 1 at the Waveland Resort Inn.

For reservations for the luncheon meeting, call 467-4940 or 467-2893.

Disease (AD) or a related disorder. The open house will be held at their office at 4803 Harrison Circle in Gulfport beginning this month.

Founding members of the chapter have supported an ongoing group for families of people with AD since 1985, where fellowship and information is available. The open house program is designed to supplement the support group, according to chapter director Donna De Weese.

"There is a wealth of information available for families who are caring for a member with AD. The purpose of holding an open house is to bring families together and introduce them to basic information on topics they will have questions about, like communicating with their family member or planning for long-

term care.

"It is difficult for most people to ask for help or to attend a support group for the first time. We hope that inviting families to come by and get acquainted in a casual way will make them comfortable with using services and calling us when they need assistance.

The open house is the first of several new services the local chapter is planning to offer residents of Hancock, Jackson and Harrison counties. A respite care study group will meet this spring to discuss how time off can be provided for caregivers of AD patients, and the chapter also plans to establish an additional support group this year, according to Wallace G. Long III, chairman of the board of directors.

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From left are Loraine Morris, Cecile Clement and Nancy Capps in the home of Dr. and Mrs. William Clement on East Scenic Drive in Pass Christian on the Thursday tour. Below, Diamondhead Garden Club flower show chairman Johnnie Boatright (on left) and president Brierly Acker at the Diamondhead Community Center Wednesday.



Diamondhead and



At left is the home of Tom and Sally McCormick in Diamondhead. McCormick is pictured in front of a dental chest she converted into a silver chest. Below is the Old Town Library on East Scenic Drive in Pass Christian. Catherine James is in charge of the operation of the library.

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A capacity crowd was on hand last Thursday night at the Bay St. Louis City Hall Annex for the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce's After Hours. The city leaders were showing off the City Hall Annex recently renovated after purchasing the old Peoples Federal Savings and Loan Bank's headquarters building from the RTC. (Echo staff photo by Ellis Cuevas)



WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

North Bay and Waveland Elementary

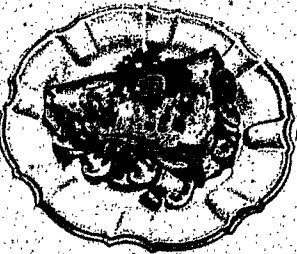
MENUS, MAR. 29-APR. 2
Milk served daily for breakfast and lunch

Monday — Fruit Juice, Waffles and Syrup.
Tuesday — Fruit Cup, Sausage Biscuit.
Wednesday — Banana, Cereal, Buttered Toast.
Thursday — Fruit Juice, Buttered Grits, Buttered Toast.
Friday — Fruit Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Biscuit.
LUNCH
Monday — Spaghetti and Meat-sauce, Garden Salad, Buttered Corn, Hot Roll, Chilled Peas.
Tuesday — Fried Chicken, Scalloped Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Hot Roll, Birthday Cake.
Wednesday — Roast Beef on Bun, Stack of Trimmings, French Fries, Frozen Juice Bar.
Thursday — Salisbury Steak with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, California Vegetables, Hot Roll, Strawberry Banana Cup.
Friday — Cheese Pizza, Vegetable Sticks with Dip, Peas and Carrots, Ice Cream Sandwich.

Bay Middle and Bay High School

BREAKFAST

Monday — Fruit Juice, Waffles and Syrup.
Tuesday — Fruit Cup, Sausage Biscuit.
Wednesday — Banana, Cereal, Buttered Toast.
Thursday — Fruit Juice, Buttered Grits, Buttered Toast.
Friday — Fruit Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Buttered Biscuit.
LUNCH
Monday — Steak Sandwich/Chips or Spaghetti and Meatsauce, Stack of Trimmings, Buttered Corn, Green Salad, Hot Roll, Chilled Peas.
Tuesday — Fried Chicken or Burrito with Chili, Scalloped Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Hot Roll, Frozen Juice Bar.
Wednesday — Roast Beef Po-boy of Macaroni and Cheese with Ham, Seasoned Greens, Stack of Trimmings, French Fries, Hot Roll, Birthday Cake.
Thursday — BBQ Beef on Bun/Chips or Salisbury Steak with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, California Mixed Vegetables, Hot Roll, Strawberry/Banana Cup.
Friday — Cheese Pizza or Fish on Bun, Vegetable Sticks with Dip, Stack of Trimmings, French Fries, Peas and Carrots, Ice Cream Sandwich.



Bay Catholic Elementary

BREAKFAST

Monday — Sausage and Pancake Stick, Fruit Juice.
Tuesday — Grits, Toast, Fruit Juice.
Wednesday — Cereal, Muffin, Fruit Juice.
Thursday — Cheese and Egg Omelet, Fruit Juice.
Friday — Waffles, Syrup, Fruit Juice.
LUNCH
Monday — Hot Dog on Bun, Chili, Tater Tots, Peas.
Tuesday — Tuna Salad, Lettuce/Peas, Cheese, Beans, Peas.
Wednesday — BBQ Chicken, Rice and Beans, Corn, Pineapple.
Thursday — Ham on Bun, Mixed Peas.

Friday — Tuna on Bun, Chips, Beet Salad, Fruit Cocktail.

Pass Christian Public Schools

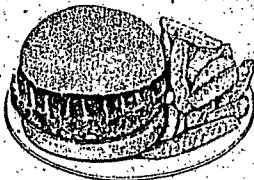
BREAKFAST

Monday — Choice of Cereal, Toast, Juice.
Tuesday — Toast, Grits, Juice.
Wednesday — Pancakes with Syrup, Applesauce, Juice.
Thursday — Sausage Biscuits, Jelly.
Friday — French Toast Sticks with Syrup, Link Sausage.
LUNCH
Monday — Hamburger with Stack of Trimmings, French Fries, Seasoned Green Beans, Cookie.
Tuesday — Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Coleslaw, Hot Rolls, Pound Cake.
Wednesday — Mexican Burrito with Optional Chili, Mexican Tossed Salad, South of the Border Peach Cobbler.
Thursday — Chili Mac, Steamed Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Apple Crisp.
Friday — Tuna Salad with Lettuce and Tomato, Chips, Mixed Vegetables, Crackers, Fresh Fruit.

Grits and Butter, Sliced Peaches.
Thursday — Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich, Orange Juice.
Friday — Assorted Cereal, Apple Juice, Homemade Biscuits.

LUNCH

Monday — Cheeseburger, Baked Beans, Pickle Spears, Sliced Peaches.
Tuesday — Roast Beef with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Homemade Cookies, Hot Rolls.
Wednesday — Corn Dog, Macaroni and Cheese, Broccoli, Pineapple Tidbits.
Thursday — Turkey with Gravy, Cornbread Dressing, Seasoned Green Beans, Sweet Potatoes, Hot Rolls.
Friday — Meatloaf, Rice with Gravy, California Vegetables, Applesauce, Hot Rolls.



Hancock Junior/Senior High Schools

BREAKFAST

Monday — Sausage Breakfast Pizza, Apple Juice.
Tuesday — Ham Biscuit, Grape Juice.
Wednesday — Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Orange Juice.
Thursday — Blueberry Flapstix, Apple Juice.
Friday — Cheese Breakfast Pizza, Grape Juice.
LUNCH
Monday — Cheeseburger, Baked Beans, Pickle Spears, Sliced Peaches.
Tuesday — Roast Beef with Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Homemade Cookies, Hot Rolls.
Wednesday — Corn Dog, Macaroni and Cheese, Broccoli, Pineapple Tidbits.
Thursday — Turkey with Gravy, Cornbread Dressing, Seasoned Green Beans, Sweet Potatoes, Hot Rolls.
Friday — Meatloaf, Rice with Gravy, California Vegetables, Applesauce, Hot Rolls.

Charles B. Murphy Gulfview and Elementary

BREAKFAST

Monday — Assorted Cereal, Grape Juice, Buttered Toast.
Tuesday — Blueberry Muffin, Apple Juice, Sliced Ham.
Wednesday — Scrambled Eggs,

Story hour titles told

"Air — Wind — Kites" will be theme for this week's children's story hour Wednesday, March 31 at 10:30 a.m. at the City-County Public Library in Bay St. Louis.

Air is all Around You, Gilberto and the Wind and The Emperor and the Kite are books to be featured. Children will see a movie and receive coloring sheets, along with a discussion on air, wind and kites.

"Birds" is the theme at the Waveland Library Friday, April 2 at 10:30 a.m.

Counting Bird, Polly Wants a Cracker and Wellington Pelican are the books to be read. Children will see several fingerplays, make a

robin puppet and receive coloring sheets.

Weekly children's story hours are held at the City-County Public Library and the Waveland Library from September through May. The Kiln Library hosts story time the third Friday of each month.

Programs and activities are designed for pre-school-age children three to five years old who are not part of a nursery or pre-school group.

For individual branch story time information, contact Myra Haynes at the City-County Library at 467-5282, Evelyn Necaise, Waveland, 467-9240, or Sandra Ladner, Kiln, 255-1724.

SSC sponsors jambalaya dinner

The St. Stanislaus Cross Country team is sponsoring a jambalaya dinner for \$4 a plate on April 4 from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at St. Stanislaus. Parent boosters of the Cross Country team are helping Coach Eddie Burgo raise funds to host the District meet next October when 14 schools from the Mississippi Coast will compete.

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One in Jesus Christ

"If the Bible is true, than I'm Christ. But so what? Look at 2000 years ago. What's so great about being Christ? A man nailed to the cross. A man of sorrow acquainted with grief. You know, being Christ ain't nothing."

Expelled from the main body of Seventh-Day Adventists, Vernon Howell, alias David Koresh, has led a breakaway sect, the Branch Davidians, since the mid-1980s. His is a classic study in religious fanaticism.

Though plagued by learning disability, David had accomplished the remarkable feat of memorizing the New Testament by the time he was 12, proving once again that all learning is deeply rooted in the whole

process of motivation.

With the wealth of the New Testament in his memory bank, he strung verses together with mesmerizing power, teaching the Bible with complete conviction and believability.

So, almost as in the tragic case of Jim Jones, he sucked up the vulnerable, the depressed, the jilted, the rejected, the divorced, the unemployed and the unstable.

There is something a bit frightening here for all of us, for David Koresh has a little of every one of us in him. For instance, in the beginning, according to his kith and kin, he is described as humble, congenial and well-mannered.

Which is exactly what Jesus calls us to be: "Take my yoke

upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves" (Mt. 11: 29).

But then Jesus challenges us to be an integral part of him: "I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing" (Jn. 15: 5).

At this point, one who knew as much Scripture as David Koresh did must have wondered when Jesus pressed the point of divinity in one of his epic duels with the Jews:

"Is it not written in your law, I said, 'You are gods'?" If it calls them gods to whom the word of God came, and Scripture cannot be set aside, can you say that

the one whom the Father has consecrated and sent into the world blasphemes because I said, 'I am the Son of God'?" (Jn. 10: 35)?

Frankly, Koresh did not seem far from Jesus' comments and Paul's further reflections on John 15 when he gradually came to view himself as the Messiah figure, then as God. Paul digs further into the thoughts of Jesus as the true vine:

"As in one body we have many parts, and all the parts do not have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ and individually parts of one another" (Rom. 12: 4).

Nor does Paul let up: "As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slave or free, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit" (1 Cor. 12:12).

As is most manifest in any group which seriously takes up the study of the Bible, the Scriptures exert an unbelievable force on any human being who plunges into them.

Despite all our individual quirks, weaknesses, selfishness and sinfulness, we are charged by Jesus and Paul to be like Christ himself. Fine, provided we remember one thing: be the servant, not user, of every sister and brother as Jesus was.

RELIGION

Jehovah's Witnesses attend assembly

Twenty-two congregations of Jehovah's Witnesses in this area, including the Bay St. Louis congregation, attended a circuit assembly program in the Assembly Center at Southeastern University in Hammond, according to Lewis Tillman Sr., a local elder.

About 2,600 listened to scriptural discussions on the theme, "Accepting, Applying and Benefitting From God's Word." — Philippians 4:9.

Tillman said, "The Saturday

afternoon talk, "God's Word Directs Our Steps," (Psalms 119:105) pointed out that Bible counsel is unique because its instructions on sexual morality, child discipline, the language we use and the family circle is always beneficial and has withstood the test of time." (Proverbs 19:20).

The Sunday morning program discussed the subject: "Distinguished From the World — by Conforming to God's Word." It encouraged Christian youths

to avoid corrupting their minds and to honor Jehovah by their appearance.

Highlight of the assembly was an address entitled "What marks the Bible as authentic?" given by the district overseer. He explained: "God's Word is filled with prophecies reflecting detailed knowledge of the future — something impossible for humans." The assembly program was part of the global Bible education work of Jehovah's Witnesses in 69,550 congregations.

Truth & Freedom Min. ordains new ministers

A ceremony was held Sunday, March 21 to ordain three new ministers to the Division of Inner Healing of Truth and Freedom Ministries of Waveland.

Lutheran Church collects for needy

Lutheran Church of the Pines Sunday School Department members and ladies organization are collecting warm weather clothing and toys for needy children, as well as clothing for women housed in a Coast shelter.

For additional information, call 467-7807 and leave a message.

Women's Aglow meets Tuesday

The Women's Aglow Fellowship of Hancock County will meet Tuesday, March 30, at Nick's House of Catfish on Highway 90 in Waveland across from Walmart.

Dinner reservations should be made by noon Monday. The dinner, starting at 6 p.m. with the meeting at 7 p.m., will include fried catfish, hushpuppies/french fries and salad along with tea and coffee for a cost of \$8.50.

The guest speaker will be Barbara Doyle, who presently serves the Mississippi Area Board as the vice-president of Outreach and is responsible for starting Aglow Fellowships in our state.

She is currently enrolled in a correspondence course for pastoral counseling by Dr. Richard

Dobbins of Akron, Ohio, and is in her third and final year.

Doyle is a member of Cedar Lake Christian Assembly in Biloxi and serves as a counselor there.

Women's Aglow is an international organization of renewed Christian women. During the monthly meetings of the interdenominational fellowship, the members worship God and share His word.

Husbands and friends of the women who attend also are invited.

The fellowship asks those who attend to bring a non-perishable food item, or general household items to support the Hancock County Food Pantry.

For more information or dinner reservations, call Julie Howell at 467-0030 or Edith Palmer at 467-7507.



Lucero featured at Harvest Time

Debra Lucero, a minister and singer with Christian International, will speak Friday, April 2, 7 p.m. at Harvest Time Church.

Harvest Time Church pastor Rev. Wynn Denning said of Lucero, "She is a powerful singer whose music ministers to those who hear it."

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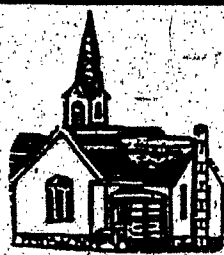
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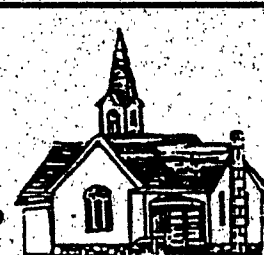
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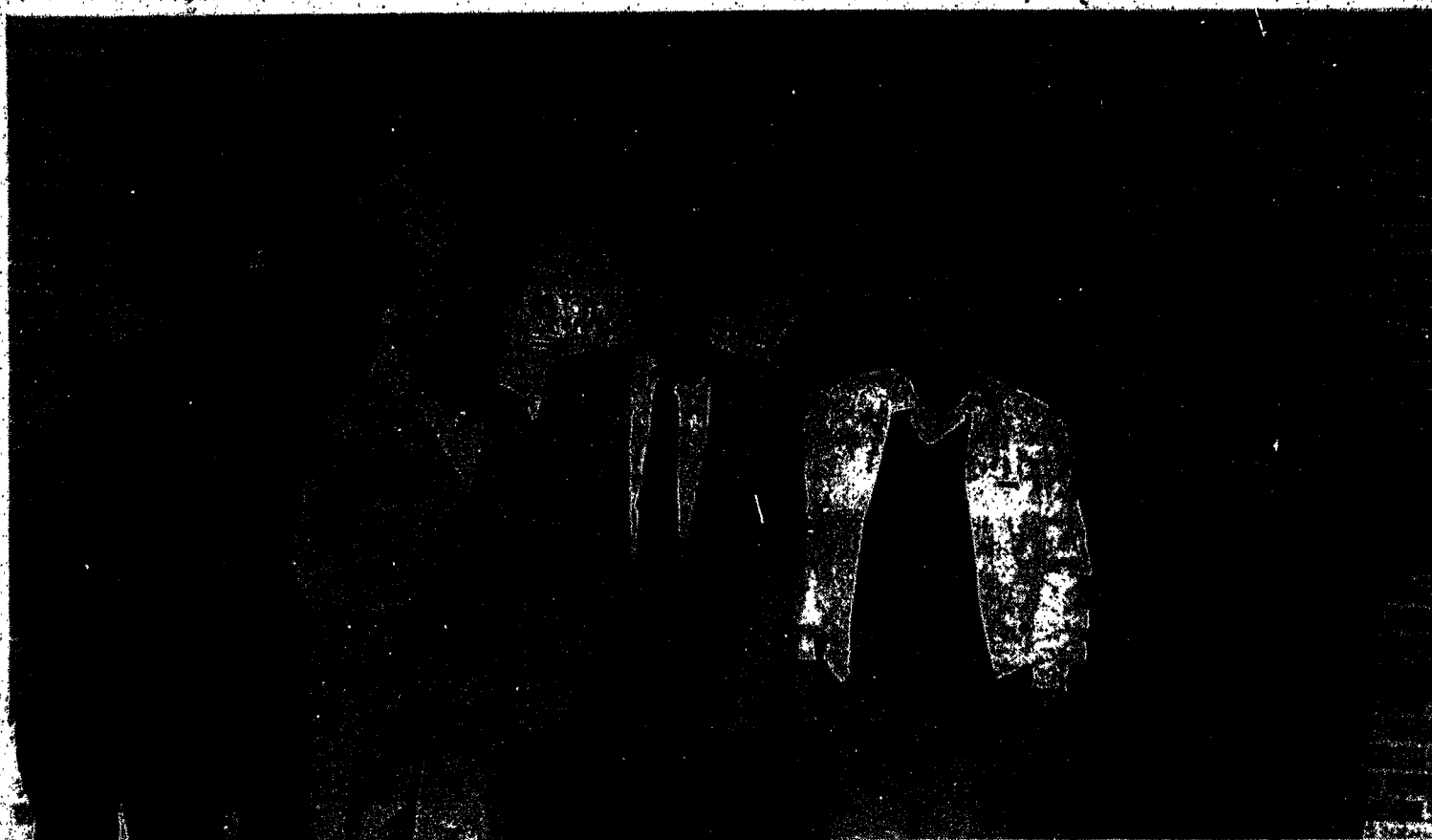
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Project Grandpa in sixth year

Project Grandpa recently began its sixth year of operation. The group of men meets each Thursday to volunteer their time at the Bay-Waveland Headstart Center. It was formed to provide a male role model influence to the children. They assist the teachers in the lessons, singing songs and other activities. Pictured above, front row from left are Brother Stillfried, S.V.D., Bill McCandless, John Lange, Eldon Gilly, Brother Alan; second row, Brother Albert Guarino, Fred deBen, Russell Voorhies, Pete Brotmeyer, Louis Brown; third row, Brother Canisius, Paul Phillips, Merlin Cripple, Father Charles R. Johnson and Father Frank Drzac, S.V.D. (Echo staff photo by Liz Haas)

Elderly in need may receive help from SSI

SSI Outreach and the St. Vincent de Paul Society of Waveland are joining together to help people in need to apply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI).

SSI provides monthly payments to people who are 65 years of age or those who are blind or disabled (child or adult) with limited income or resources. Even if someone has some income or receives a Social Security check, he or she may still be eligible for SSI benefits.

In an effort to identify people who may qualify, SSI Outreach caseworkers will be at 307 Coleman Avenue, City Hall Annex building Wednesday from 1:30-3:30 p.m. to assist persons filing for SSI.

If you or anyone you know is in need, please contact Alison Salloom at Catholic Social Services — SSI Outreach at 1-800-851-3702 or call Jay Fleuriat at the St. Vincent de Paul information and referral office at 467-0703.



ARTIN' ABOUT

Biblical story performance

Musical performed

Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat will be presented by the Kinetic Neo Skene Theatre at the Biloxi Saenger Theatre for the Performing Arts on tonight at 8 p.m.

This Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice hit is the musical version of the biblical story of Jacob and his 12 sons.

Tickets for the Sunday matinee are \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and students. Group rates are available. Tickets can be purchased at the Saenger Box Office.

South Pacific performed

The Pearl River Community College Fine Arts Department will present the Rodgers & Hammerstein classic *South Pacific* April 1-3.

The dinner theatre begins at 6:15 p.m. in the PRC cafeteria and is by reservation only. Tickets are available at the PRC Business Office by calling 795-6801, ext. 380.

Tickets for the dinner and theatre are \$12 for adults and \$10 for students. Tickets for the play only are \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. Students must present I.D.

Red Skelton performs

For one performance only, America's Funniest Clown, Red Skelton, will be live at the Saenger Theatre, Saturday, April 3, at 8 p.m.

Tickets will be available at the Saenger Box Office and all ticketmaster locations or charge by phone at 795-6801. Prices begin at \$20.00 plus applicable service charge.

with The Sun Herald exhibits, "The People Within: The Vietnamese Culture of the Gulf Coast. Photographs from The Sun Herald Series," through June 6.

The exhibit will be on display in the Readers Digest-Lila Wallace Fund Gallery on the second floor of the museum, located in the Biloxi Cultural Center at 136 George E. Ohr Street.

The museum is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m.

Admission is free. For more information, call 374-5547.

Art classes

Your Personal Touch on McLaurin Street in Waveland holds oil classes by Mona Santiago every Wednesday at 6 p.m.

On April 15 at 5 p.m. Carey Dobbins from Bob Ross Studios will teach a class on how to paint Bob Ross paintings.

For more information, call 467-7261.

Submissions to Artin' About should be sent to The Sea Coast Echo, P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS.

BSLLT sets yard sale

The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will sponsor a yard sale April 3, 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Playhouse, 301 Boardman Avenue.

Items include a piano, household goods, clothing and etc.



Ask the Veteran's Service Center

By Donald Mauffray
Veteran's Service Officer

Health scholarships offered for Reserves

The Veterans Administration is announcing the availability of scholarships for the 1993-94 school year for members of the Selected Ready Reserves who are interested in careers in nursing and occupational or physical therapy.

The Reserve Member Stipend Program provides financial support to associate degree nursing students in their last year of study, and third and fourth-year students in baccalaureate or entry-level masters' degree programs in nursing, occupational therapy and physical therapy. Reservists must be members of the Selected Ready Reserves and eligible for the Montgomery GI Bill (Selected Reserve).

Recipients receive \$400 monthly for each month of full-time study. In exchange, participants agree to serve as a full-time registered nurse, or occupational or physical therapist in a VA medical center for a period of two years.

Individuals interested in applying can request an application by writing to the Reserve Member Stipend Program

(143B), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20420, or by calling (202) 535-7528.

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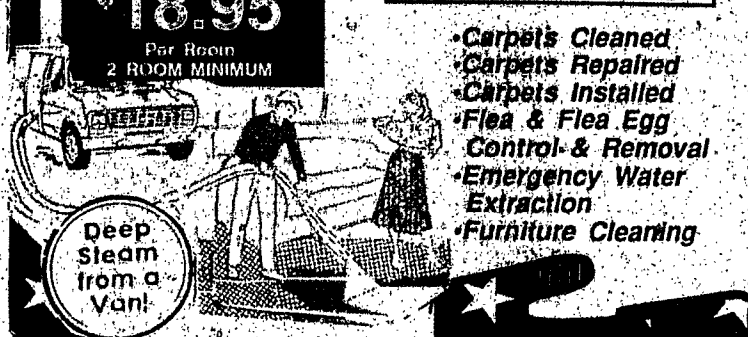
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